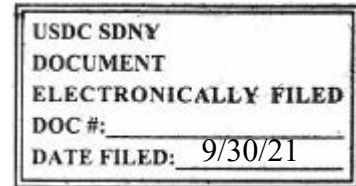




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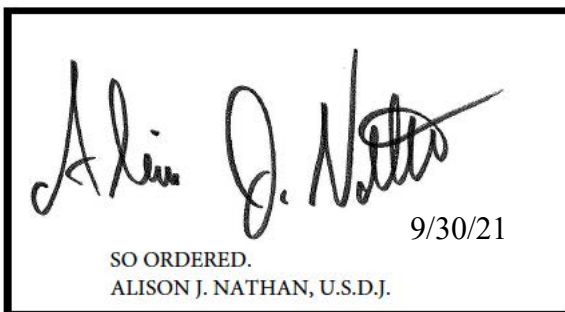
Dear Judge Nathan:

We represent defendant, Schindler Elevator Corporation ("SEC"), in the above referenced matter. Please accept this letter as a joint submission on behalf of plaintiff and SEC regarding the status of mediation in accordance with Your Honor's August 27, 2021 Order.

At this time, the SDNY Mediation Program's office has confirmed receipt of the mediation referral, but has not yet been able to assign a mediator to this case. Accordingly, there is no date yet for mediation. **In light of this, if Your Honor is amenable, the parties respectfully request an adjournment of the October 8, 2021 status conference until after this case has completed mediation with the SDNY Mediation Program.**

SO ORDERED.

We thank Your Honor for your time and attention to this matter.



Respectfully submitted,

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cc: Richard K. Hershman, Esq. (via ECF)